to my notice, I will see that suitable action is taken against those concerned.

*Sri SYDNEY A. THOMAS (Nominated).—Is it not a fact that in the Curzon Hospital while the work has been doubled the number of workers has been reduced and one of the reasons for this is that nurses who have undergone midwife's training have not received the money even after having completed their training period and so they leave the hospital? They do not receive a pie while they are under training even though they are entitled to that and after completion of training they leave the hospital. This is the main reason why suitable nurses are not attracted for the post.

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—Very recently Government have ordered that for the period of midwifery training that is given in the Bowring Hospital, the stipend should be paid to the trainee concerned. The Director of Medical Services has been asked to pay the stipends.

Sri M. PALANIYAPPAN.—I seek leave to withdraw my cut motion.

The cut motion was, by leave, withdrawn.

Appointment of House Surgeons in Hospitals.

*Sri M. PALANIYAPPAN.—I beg to move:

"That the demand under the head '38. Medical' for Rs. 1,10,12,000 be reduced by Rs. 100 (to raise a debate on the necessity of appointing House Surgeons at Sir Haji Ismail Sait Gosha Hospital and at T.B. Sanatorium, Old Madras Road, Bangalore)".

Sir, this Gosha Hospital was started to accommodate 30 patients and now the strength is nearly 130 to 150. Hardly there are three doctors and they are working under great strain. Apart from the in-patients nearly 300 out-patients come there for treatment. These doctors work day in and day out. Therefore, additional doctors must be posted immediately. At least doctors who are in training period may be posted for the present.

Similarly, in the Old Madras Road, there is a T.B. Sanatorium. Only two doctors and three nurses are working there. 50 per cent of the patients in that hospital are ladies. There is not a single lady doctor to look after them. The hospital has grown in strength and it has been extended, but still the doctors are not enough to attend to the increased number of patients. So, I strongly feel that immediate relief must be given to the doctors by posting House Surgeons to these hospitals.

Mr. SPEAKER.—Cut motion moved:

"That the demand be reduced by Rs. 100."

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—Under the existing practice House Surgeons are appointed for work in major Hospitals like Victoria, Krishnarajendra and Vani Vilas Hospitals. Experienced persons who have specialised in T. B. will be posted to institutions like P. K. Sanatorium, S. D. S. Sanatorium and the T.B. Sanatorium, Civil Station. We have not received any request either from the Lady Curzon Hospital or T.B. Sanatorium, Bangalore, for posting of House Surgeons there.

Sri M. PALANIYAPPAN.—If there is a request, do Government consider?

Sri T. CHANNIAH.—Yes, we will consider.

Sri M. PALANIYAPPAN.—I seek leave to withdraw the cut motion.

The cut motion was, by leave, withdrawn.

2 P.M.

Lady Doctor for Thyamagondlu Hospital.

Sri D. M. GOVINDARAJU (Nelamangala).—Sir, I beg to move:

"That the demand under the head '38. Medical' for Rs. 1,10,12,000 be reduced by Rs. 100 (in order to raise a debate on the necessity of posting a lady doctor at Thyamagondlu Hospital, Nelamangala Taluk)."

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